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Washington, DC – Congressman Jerry McNerney (CA-11) today worked to provide health care to 11 mil

“Every young child deserves a healthy start to life and no child should ever have to go without the quality

The CHAMP Act reauthorizes the State Children’s Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) and protects cov

SCHIP was established on a bipartisan basis in 1997 by President Clinton and Congress, but must be re

In a June 5 letter to the House leadership and California Congressional Delegation, Gov. Schwarzenegg

“The additional federal funding is absolutely essential to ensure the continued success of the program,”

The CHAMP Act also includes provisions to strengthen Medicare, control out of pocket costs for seniors

- diabetes screening tests
- screening for glaucoma
- an initial preventive physical examination
- bone mass measurement
- prostate cancer screening tests
- colorectal cancer screening tests
- mammography screening
- pap smear screening

In considering this legislation, Rep. McNerney joined with several colleagues in seeking assurance from

“The CHAMP Act will help ensure seniors see the doctor they trust and get the care they need,” added P

